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**MEDIA ALERT****North Carolina Museum of History Foundation Announces  
Its New Director of Development**

*After six years with the North Carolina Museum of History Associates team, Hunter Broughton Diamond joins the North Carolina Museum of History Foundation team.*

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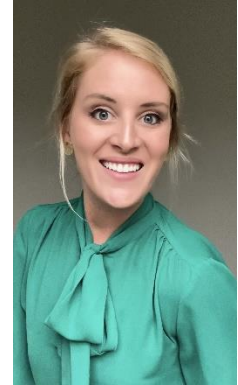
**WHAT:** North Carolina Museum of History Foundation welcomes Hunter Broughton Diamond as its new Director of Development.

**WHEN:** September 1, 2021

**WHERE:** North Carolina Museum of History  
5 East Edenton Street, Raleigh, NC 27601

**DETAILS:** North Carolina Museum of History Foundation is thrilled to announce that Hunter Broughton Diamond will be joining the Foundation team as Director of Development beginning September 1, 2021!

Hunter has been with the Associates team for the past six years and brings with her a wealth of knowledge both in fundraising and relationship building. In her time as Special Events Director, her first role, and as Associate + Membership Director, her current role, Hunter has worked as an integral part of the Associates team to bring their goals to fruition. She has led multiple successful Spring Frolics and other Associates fundraisers, elevating the experience of their events while maximizing monies raised. She has recruited and retained members diligently and with much grace. And she has invigorated the Young Associates with new events and incentives. Hunter's background supports her natural-born talent to steward and cultivate relationships in a genuine and consistent manner. The Foundation is confident that her approach to this position and dedicated work ethic will be an incredible fit moving forward.



Victor E. Bell III, Chairman of the North Carolina Museum of History Foundation, stated: "Hunter's new role with the North Carolina Museum of History Foundation is an exciting opportunity for the museum to grow. The North Carolina Museum of History has continued to generate new interest in North Carolina history this past year with weekly virtual programs that have reached hundreds of thousands of people statewide, nationally and even internationally. Dynamic educational programs, museum exhibits and diverse festivals are also continuing to attract robust interest from a wide range of North Carolina children, teachers and adults. We welcome Hunter's leadership role as the North Carolina Museum of History embraces exciting strategic growth and plans to serve North Carolina."

For an image of Hunter Diamond, and the museum's logo, follow this [Dropbox link](#).

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**For information about the NC Museum of History**, a Smithsonian Affiliate museum, call 919-814-7000 or access [ncmuseumofhistory.org](http://ncmuseumofhistory.org) or follow the museum on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), or [YouTube](#).

#### **About the NC Museum of History Foundation**

The Foundation's vision is for the North Carolina Museum of History to be the leader in the preservation and promotion of North Carolina's history and culture and to promote and encourage the study of all history. The North Carolina Museum of History Foundation, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) organization. Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

#### **About the NC Museum of History**

The North Carolina Museum of History, a Smithsonian Affiliate, fosters a passion for North Carolina history. This museum collects and preserves artifacts of state history and educates the public on the history of the state and the nation through exhibits and educational programs. **Admission is free.** Pre-COVID 2019, more than 465,000 people visited the museum to see some of the 150,000 artifacts in the

museum collection. The Museum of History, within the Division of State History Museums, is part of the NC Department of Natural and Cultural Resources.

#### **About the Smithsonian Affiliations Network**

Since 2006, the North Carolina Museum of History has been a Smithsonian Affiliate, part of a select group of museums, cultural, educational, and arts organizations that share Smithsonian resources with the nation. The Smithsonian Affiliations network is a national outreach program that develops long-term collaborative partnerships with museums, educational, and cultural organizations to enrich communities with Smithsonian resources. More information is available at [affiliations.si.edu](http://affiliations.si.edu).

#### **About the NC Department of Natural and Cultural Resources**

The North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources (NCDNCR) is the state agency with a vision to be the leader in using the state's natural and cultural resources to build the social, cultural, educational, and economic future of North Carolina. NCDNCR's mission is to improve the quality of life in our state by creating opportunities to experience excellence in the arts, history, libraries, and natural assets in North Carolina by stimulating learning, inspiring creativity, preserving the state's history, conserving the state's natural heritage, encouraging recreation and cultural tourism, and promoting economic development.

NCDNCR includes 27 historic sites, seven history museums, two art museums, two science museums, three aquariums, and Jennette's Pier, as well as 39 state parks and recreation areas, the North Carolina Zoo, the nation's first state-supported symphonic orchestra, the State Library of North Carolina, the State Archives of North Carolina, the North Carolina Arts Council, the North Carolina State Historic Preservation Office, and the North Carolina Office of State Archaeology, along with the state Division of Land and Water Stewardship. For more information, call 919-814-6800 or visit [DNCR.nc.gov](http://DNCR.nc.gov).

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